

Town of Watertown

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NOTICE OF ADVANCED REMOVAL OF EARLY VOTED BALLOTS FROM ENVELOPES AND ADVANCED DEPOSITING OF EARLY VOTED BALLOTS

In accordance with the Secretary of State Regulations, <u>950 CMR</u> 47.12 and under the provisions of section 7(k) of Chapter 115 of the Acts of 2020, the City known as the Town of Watertown, will be advanced removing and advanced depositing early voted ballots at the Administration Building, 149 Main Street at the following sessions, and continuing until an appropriate number of ballots have been processed each day, calculated, to the extent possible, to ensure that the greatest number of early voted ballots are processed:

•	Tuesday, October 27 th	9:00 AM
•	Wednesday, October 28 th	9:00 AM
•	Thursday, October 29 th	9:00 AM
•	Friday, October 30 th	9:00 AM
•	Saturday, October 31st	9:00 AM
•	Sunday, November 1st	9:00 AM

As the Administration Building remain closed to the public, we respectfully ask that persons wishing to observe the process preregister by e-mailing TownClerk@Watertown-ma.gov before attending an advanced removal or depositing sessions. This Notice of the advanced removal and advanced depositing will also be posted on the Town Hall itself and on the website; if you have not preregistered, and find you are able to attend a session, you can e-mail the above address at that time and still view the proceedings.

As the Administration Building remain closed to the public, we also respectfully ask that all observers wear a mask at all times when in the building and complete a Covid-19 Questionnaire upon arrival. Social distancing must be maintained and we will provide guidance in the room where such advanced removal or advanced process is occurring.

In accordance with the provisions of <u>950 CMR</u> 47.12 and section 7(k) of Chapter 115 of the Acts of 2020, no results shall be determined or announced until after the time the polls close on November 3rd. At that time the results from the advance deposited ballots will be added to the election day results and be posted in a public place.

Very truly yours,

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John E. Flynn – Town Clerk, Watertown, Massachusetts